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Yankee. **ARTHUR D. BERWICK.**

HOW HE GOT THERE

[Original.]

General Nogi was sitting in his tent before Port Arthur when it was announced that Martin Bowles, an American who had been granted an interview, was waiting without. The general directed that the man be admitted.

Martin Bowles was a light complexioned man, with very little of the American in him. Indeed, he had been in Europe ever since he was ten years old, and all of the Yankee had been dropped except the dare devil spirit that he had inherited from his father, who had been one of Mosby's men in the American civil war, while his mother had been born in Connecticut. Young Bowles was closeted with General Nogi for two hours, at the end of which time he emerged from the tent and went his way.

The Russians in one of the principal forts defending Port Arthur were expecting a night attack. Their searchlights were moving nervously over the slopes beneath, star rockets were bursting in the air, casting brief and faint illuminations into depressions directly beneath them, while parachute torpedoes served the same purpose of throwing light directly downward.

On a side hill opposite the Russian forts crouched a man. The light cast by the star rockets and parachutes was too faint to reveal him, but he would be readily seen if a searchlight were pointed directly at him. He watched their motions till he saw one coming in his direction. It was moving slowly, as if the searchers were examining every detail. Presently it reached his position and stopped.

There is something trying in having one of these silent sheaves of light pointed at you. You know some one hidden in darkness is looking at you. Every stone, every blade of grass about you, glistering, tells how plainly you are seen, and you expect either to hear the spiteful "ping" of a sharp shooter's bullet or feel it pierce your vitals.

But the man on the hillside had no such fear. Indeed, he was pleased when the light was turned upon him and stopped. He wore a tattered Russian uniform, and as soon as he was satisfied that he was observed he waved his hand. Then immediately the searchlight was turned away.

The man got up and walked rapidly down the hill. Midway between the position he had occupied and the fort he met a company of Russian soldiers. The commander of the fort had sent them to enable one of their comrades to enter his own lines. Perhaps he might have valuable information. He was taken to the general, who questioned him eagerly.

He said that he was Ivan Vestovsky and had belonged to the garden of a fort near by on the night which had been stormed and taken the day before at dusk. He had escaped in the gathering darkness and hidden in a deserted rifle pit on the hillside. There he had observed the dispositions of the Japanese, who were forming for an attack.

"Where are your strongest forces?" asked the general. "on our right or left?"

"From my position," replied Ivan, "under the light of your rockets and parachutes, I could see them massing on your left. There is a small force on your right, but they seemed to me to be nearly ready to move."

"I see," said the general. "That wily fox Nogi is going to feint on our right and storm our left." Then he gave orders to move the most effective guns to the left.

On the Russian right was the hill on which Ivan Vestovsky had been discovered. It was just high enough to prevent the Russians from seeing over its crest. On their left was a comparatively long stretch of open ground swept by their artillery, beyond which the ground was again uneven. At 2 o'clock in the morning suddenly a parachute revealed a force of Japanese marching in a depression in the ground far to the right where the view was not obstructed by the hill. At the time a considerable force was observed further away on the left. This seemed to confirm Ivan's story. But the force on the right grew larger and when within range an overwhelming force of Japanese hurried over the crest of the hill and before the guns could be turned swept on to the moat, planted scaling ladders and in a twinkling the fort had been captured.

"I wish to see General Nogi," said one of the Russian prisoners in fairly good Japanese.

The officer in charge looked at the man as if he suspected his sanity, but was still more surprised when the general hurrying up with his staff was hailed by the prisoner, and turning came up to him and embraced him.

"We owe you everything," he said. Then he told the officer that he would take the prisoner away with him.

The two went to that side of the fort which had not been fought over and when the general saw the guns all there he embraced the prisoner again.

"Mr. Bowles," he said, "I saw through my glass the Russians moving these guns and knew that your ruse had been successful. You have enabled us at the risk of your life to capture easily a strong fort in our way. Now, how can I reward you?"

"General," replied Mr. Bowles, "I am a born American, and a Yankee never does something for nothing. I represent an American newspaper and I want permission to send dispatches."

"Keep near to my headquarters," said the general with a grim smile, "and I'll favor you whenever I can do it without risking my plans."

"I knew I'd get there," said the Yankee. **ARTHUR D. BERWICK.**

NOW OR NEVER

By...
Martha McCulloch-Williams

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Billy Wharton's coming did not surprise Joe in the least. She had known something out of the common was going to happen ever since Saturday, when she had seen the new moon clear, had a black cat follow her home and then dreamed of getting safe across a clear running stream. All these were omens of good luck. It was the best sort of luck to have a lover in the big front room upstairs, a gentleman evidently craving quiet, solitude and country fare. Mrs. Greer, Joe's stepmother, had been set against boarders. She would have none of them even yet but for that dreadful doctor's bill. She had been at death's door last winter, her first real illness. Though the doctor was in no hurry for his fee, her independence chafed mightily against having him wait.

Therefore Joe had had no new summer frocks. Therefore also she was not going to picnics and parties and things—anywhere, indeed, but to church, where the wearing of old clothes might be regarded as a sign of piety rather than poverty. The board money would change all that. In fancy Joe saw herself brave in new winter finery, holding up her head with the best. Her head had not really been dropped, for she was by nature spirited and full of fun. But the stepmother was a little morbid on the point of Joe's lacks.

In fear, it might be said, she neglected the girl, who, it was well known, she did not love. Still they had got on fairly together until the epoch of Ransom Farley.

It was Mrs. Greer's nephew and prospective heir; hence it seemed to him but right and natural that he should marry Joe, who held a mortgage on the farm. Mrs. Greer had fetched her husband and his daughter home with her to live, and the Greer estate had been turned into cash and used to free the homestead from sundry incumbrances. Thus common interest had kept the two women together after Squire Greer died. Ransom thought it beautifully fit that they should go on living together and letting him take care of them. At least that was his way of saying it. Joe snatched that the caretaking would be all the other way. She had hated Ransom as a pink and white curly haired model child. She did not hate him less now that, although his curls were cropped and his complexion was somewhat tanned, he still held himself to the model standard.

Joe was slim and dusky—like as a sapling, with floss silk hair and eyes outflashing black diamonds. Wild rosettes blushed in her olive cheeks, her lips were cherry red and her voice full of flute notes. Billy Wharton had a weak spot for pretty girls. He made love to all fate threw in his way. Naturally he made love to Joe. Naturally also he made her love him. He was the man of her dreams, in every way the opposite of Ransom and very unlike any of the former lads or callow city youngsters with whom she had been brought in contact. But because she loved Billy with heart and soul and strength she flouted him, laughed at him, made a pretense of quarreling and so kept him puzzled as to her frame of mind. Puzzling over a very pretty girl is bad for the affections if the puzzler wishes to escape free, but Billy did not know that in time. He tried all a man might to read this maiden riddle. He had been quite fair, he thought—had told her in the outset he couldn't afford to marry until he was gray and bald.

"I've nothing in the world now but myself," he had said. "And, though space rates give a decent living for one, it's little short of criminal under-taking to make them furnish rations for two." Then straightway he had made Joe guide him to the deepest pool of the trout brook and stay with him on the stream side all through a summer morning. In course of the talk there she had somehow gathered that a long time ahead when certain lives and leases lapsed Billy would have a snug maintenance. Possibly the information had its weight. Possibly also it went over her head. Certainly, when in the sixth week of Billy's stay at the farmhouse Ransom was pleased to grow furiously jealous of him, Joe decided something must be done—and did it.

"Did you know there was a wedding coming off Sunday?" she asked of Billy Thursday at noon. Billy pulled out pencil and notebook, putting on his most professional air as he asked: "Will you give me the names of the victims, please, Miss Greer? Also any other particulars of interest?"

"No! Go ask the preacher," Joe said, smiling mysteriously.

Billy went, but came back more than ever mystified. "The wedding is a fact," he said, "but a solitary fact. Brother Jones knows no more than we do—only that he has been asked to hold himself in readiness at the close of the morning service. Furthermore, he says you asked him. Confess, young lady. You are getting up a fine hoax."

"See if I am," Joe retorted, her head higher than common. She ran off almost instantly and was well nigh unapproachable throughout the next two days. But Saturday evening she walked with Billy all up and down the yard, the moon shedding silver flecks upon the roses in the garden filling the air with perfume. As they walked Billy held her hand, and insensibly it seemed, she dropped toward him. Neither said very much. As the clock struck 10 Joe drew away from him with a little shudder, saying very low:

"Maybe this is our last walk together."

But Billy, quite beyond prudence, flung his arms about her and kissed her full on the mouth, saying thickly, "It shall not be—I want you—always."

He slept little that night, but fell into a heavy doze at daylight. It lasted until it was almost time for church. The sight of her set his heart beating madly. She was all in white, bridelike indeed, with a knot of pale roses nodding on her breast. By their rising and falling he knew she was strangely stirred, yet when she motioned him to follow and sit beside her he obeyed, although Ransom Farley, whom he cordially disliked, was at her other elbow. All through the service she sat statue still notwithstanding he felt the tension of her mood increase. After the prayer and the closing hymn there was a general stir of people half rising or craning their necks to see who might be going up to the altar.

"I'm going to marry—somebody. Which shall it be?" Joe breathed rather than whispered in Billy's ear, glancing alternately at him and at Farley. He understood. With almost a bound he was up and in the aisle, holding her hand tight and almost dragging her forward. And then before he knew what was happening he heard the solemn, "I pronounce you man and wife."

The church buzzed like a hive, but through the buzzing Billy heard Farley Ransom shrieking hysterically, "I'll make you sorry for this, sir, before you are much older!"

Joe looked up at him, flushing a lovely scarlet. "It was the only way," she said. "I had to marry you now. You never would have come back."

Forming Characters.
No human being can come into this world without increasing or diminishing the sum total of human happiness not only of the present, but every subsequent age of human existence. There is no sequestered spot in the universe, no dark niche along the disk of nonexistence to which he can retreat from his relations to others, where he can withdraw the influence of his existence upon the moral destiny of the world. Everywhere his presence or absence will be felt. Everywhere he will have companions who will be better or worse for his influence. It is an old saying and one of fearful and fathomless import that we are forming characters for eternity. Forming characters? Whose? Our own or others? Both, and in that momentous fact lie the peril and responsibility of our existence. Who is sufficient for the thought? Thousands of my fellow beings will yearly enter eternity with characters differing from those they would have carried thither had I never lived. The sunlight of that world will reveal my finger marks in their primacy formations and in their successive strata of thought and life.—Elhu Burritt.

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Our National Holiday.

"This glorious Union shall not perish! Precious legacy of our fathers. It shall go down honored and cherished to our children. Generations unknown shall enjoy its privileges as we have done, and if we leave them poor in all besides, we will transmit to them the boundless wealth of all its blessings."

We are reminded of these words of Edward Everett upon the approach of the celebration of our independence day—the Fourth of July of 1905. The freedom which was gained for us by the noble patriots of the last century is precious indeed to the American of today. The country which was preserved for us has been built up and broadened until today she stands supreme among nations. Our fore-fathers made this possible for us through their triumph over oppression and succeeding generations have done their country proud.

On the Fourth of July we celebrate the anniversary of our independence and do homage to the America of today. Every American feels the advantages he is enjoying as compared to other nations. There has been no retrogression in this country. Our navy is the best on the high seas, our commerce has increased steadily, our people are educated and enlightened, while other people are struggling for existence. We are enjoying the fruits of our rich lands with no master to exact tribute; all free subjects. What a contrast to the Russian agriculturist, who gets but one loaf of bread out of every 384 he produces, to whom there is but one house to every five families, who wears clothing by day that must serve for bedding at night. It is well to remind our people of this lest they forget just what it does mean to dwell under the stars and stripes. It is a well-known fact that people fail to appreciate that which is familiar. The American never fails to appreciate when he stops to think, but his daily life is so full of commercial spirit that he is apt to take his national advantages too much for granted. This is the advantage of a holiday like the Fourth of July. It makes a pause in commercialism and rekindles the patriotic spark in every American citizen. It is a time for the expression of patriotism. Decoration Day is really a time when Americans think more reverently of their country, but Independence Day is all inspiring and it is then that we give vent to our patriotic feelings.

May our country forge steadily ahead, winning prestige the world over, maintaining peace and prosperity—may this wish go out over the land and sea this Independence Day. Daniel Webster's wish is being realized. "And by the blessing of God, may that country itself become a vast and splendid monument, not of oppression and terror, but of wisdom, of peace and of liberty, upon which the world may gaze with admiration forever."

SOCIAL NOTES.
The poem written by Charles Bundschu on Oregon has lately appeared and is a pretty tribute to our sister State. Mr. Bundschu is not only a successful and enterprising business man, but he is also gifted with a very versatile pen.

On Wednesday a party of four ladies drove over from Petaluma on a pleasure trip. The party was composed of the following: Mrs. C. F. Northrup, Mrs. Cheeswright, and Miss Alice Ayers, all of Petaluma, and Mrs. Nisbet of Kern county. The ladies paid a visit to the old "Mission" and other points of interest.

A party was tendered to Miss Marie Watt at her home south of town last Sunday evening, which was largely attended. Chas. Wall acted as speaker and kept the guests convulsed with laughter. August Marcy and Jack Watt favored the gathering with one of their latest "Coon Songs," which was loudly enjoyed. Eugene Oplinger favored the merry-makers with a flute solo. The jovial crowd then sat down to a large banquet, which was served by the hostess, Miss Marie Watt. Those present were: The Misses Marie, Catherine and Lettie Watt, Miss M. Marcy, Miss Maud Clemens, Miss Nellie Millerick, and several young ladies from the metropolis. Jno. Watt Sr., Jno. Watt Jr., August Marcy, Chas. Wall, Thomas and Jack Millerick and Johnny and Bill Kearney of El Verano.

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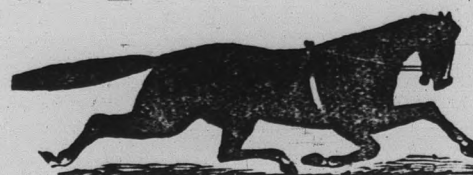
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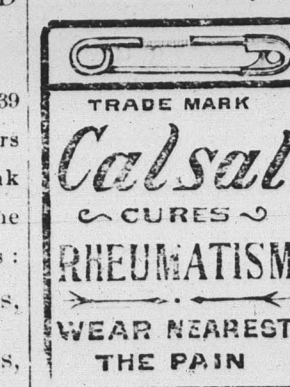


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BRIEF MENTION

Bargains in Millinery at G. H. Hotz's.

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The fountain is being placed in position on the plaza.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune only \$9 for the two news papers.

Camm & Hedges, Petaluma, sell all kinds of lumber, laths, mouldings and mill work.

Daily Evening Bulletin, Sunday Morning Bulletin and Index-Tribune all for a year for \$7.80.

For Sale — A mowing machine, almost new and in good condition. Can be seen at Batto & Son, Vineburg. Price \$40.

Walter Poulson, formerly of Sonoma but now of El Verano, where he is employed, while hoisting "Old Glory" over the Villa, one day this week, fell and saw stars.

The dance which was to have been given by the Sonoma Baseball Team last Friday evening did not take place as there was not a large enough attendance.

Rev. J. A. Hollars of San Francisco will preach morning and evening at the Congregational Church Sunday, July 2nd. All are cordially invited to attend.

A jolly crowd from Sonoma had a clam bake at Embarcadero on Sunday last and reported a swell time. Mitty Robin and Billy Chase happened along in time.

H. P. Sopley of San Francisco has been working his three-year-old colt, "Also Charley," on the local track for the past week and should make a good showing in the "Colts Race."

"Our King," the game trotter that nearly snatched the Sonoma track record on May 30th, was sold by his owner, G. S. Harris, this week to Bailey Birdsall, a real estate man of Berkeley.

H. Pellissier, proprietor of Lawrence Villa, is having a five-room stage erected at the Villa. The new building is necessary to accommodate the increasing patronage of this popular resort.

Dr. G. D. Rich, formerly of this place, accompanied by Dr. Gerber, a German specialist, was in the valley last Sunday. We are informed that they are negotiating for Buena Vista Castle, which they intend converting into a sanatorium to be run in connection with their San Francisco office.

There is no better place to stop in San Francisco than at the Langham Hotel, corner of Ellis and Mason streets. It is six stories high, fire-proof, convenient to all attractions, close to all car lines, and offers all the advantages of superior hotel service at small cost. The rooms are large, clean and well ventilated and the management courteous, polite and hospitable. Write for booklet and rates.

Mrs. Claire Hope Hyde Loses Baby

Adelaide Hope Hyde, the ten-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hyde (nee Hope) died in Paris, France, two weeks ago. The child had been ill with a severe cold and whooping cough for some time. The remains have been cremated and the sorrowing parents are returning from abroad with the ashes.

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Is a constitutional disease. It originates in a scrofulous condition of the blood and depends on that condition. It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, affects the vocal organs, disturbs the stomach, and is always radically and permanently cured by the blood-purifying, alterative and tonic action of

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HOTEL ON FIRE AT EL VERANO

Early Morning Blaze at the Bellevue Causes Considerable Excitement — Man Injured

The Bellevue Hotel at El Verano took fire at 3:30 A. M. on Thursday, and but for the timely arrival of the fire-fighters would have been burned to the ground. As it was there was much excitement, which was intensified by the fact that Harry Serres rushed into a burning portion of the building and was severely burned about the hands and arms.

Just what the origin of the fire was is unknown, but about three o'clock in the morning flames and smoke were seen issuing from the kitchen. The cry of fire rang through the corridors of the hotel and excited guests rushed about for a time, but it was not long before the fire was under control. The loss, however, will amount to several hundred dollars.

Closing Exercises of the Dunbar School

The closing exercises at the Dunbar School last Friday evening proved to be a pleasing success. The boys and girls, under the direction of Miss Norvella M. Davidson, converted the school-room and stage into a scene of artistic beauty. Oak boughs and ferns gracefully arched the soft folds of the silk curtains. A red glow on the stage displayed with splendid effect the pretty costumes. The exercises were opened with a few apt words of welcome by little Miss Eugenie Froment. Then followed an elaborate production of "Cinderella," in four acts. The characters were as follows: Cinderella, Miss Louise Lemoine; Prince Amour, Master Clarence Merlino Jones; Fairy God-mother, Miss Hattie Brand; Lady Disdain, Miss Palmira Bianchi; Haughty Sisters, Charlotte and Annabelle, the Misses Celestina Bianchi and Frieda Hertzog; Lord Easy-going, Master Harold Weise; King and Queen, the Misses Olive Trowbridge and Georgia Merlino Jones; Herald to Prince Amour, Master Geo. Seavers. The several costumes were fashioned to a nicety of detail. Some were of real historical value, as that worn by Prince Amour. It consisted of brown plush, coat and knee trousers, both of old-fashioned style, and rose silk vest with lace ruff. This costume was worn eight years ago at an entertainment in the famous and historical "little church around the corner," in New York. In the transformation scene Cinderella's rags gave place to a beautiful fairy creation of crepe, maline and lace with a knot of orange blossoms upon the bosom and one in the bridal veil. Next on the program was the favorite song, "The Old Oaken Bucket." An old well with an iron-bound, moss-covered bucket, gave reality to the song. The words were sung by the Misses Georgia Merlino Jones, Olive Trowbridge, Palmira Bianchi and Celestina Bianchi, and acted in pantomimic style by Master A. Lemoine, who impersonated the old man, and Master C. Merlino Jones, the youth of years long past. This number was followed by Madame Jarley's wax works. Madame Jarley, which character was realistically sustained by Miss Olive Trowbridge, with her many wax figures and unruly attendants, created no little amount of merriment. The program was concluded by a few words from Miss Davidson, in which the young lady thanked the parents and friends for their interest and kind assistance.

Never before has the Dunbar school had a more successful teacher than Miss Davidson. She has won the love and esteem of the parents as well as the children. It is hoped that the trustees will be able to secure her valuable services the coming term and many more.

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McDavitt Makes Settlement.

Chas. McDavitt, who has had a suit pending against the California Gas and Electrical Company for damages because of injuries received while in the employ of that company, has made settlement whereby he waives all claims for damages against that corporation and receives in return a \$75 per month position for life and \$750 for expenses since he met with the accident about a year ago that will maintain him for life.

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Sensational Suit

The second divorce suit brought in the Superior Court of San Francisco by L. D. Batchelor against his wife, Susan T. Batchelor, was transferred to this county Monday and will be heard by Judge Burnett. Batchelor has also begun suit against Michael Cummings for \$10,000, alleging that Cummings had alienated his wife's affections.

The proceedings will create a mild sensation as the parties are well-known throughout this valley.

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GLEN ELLEN

By Aurora.

J. Chauvet has given his house a new coat of white paint.

It is reported that the old De Turk place has been sold.

Professor Bonbright transacted business in Santa Rosa Monday.

The Anderson place at the warm springs has been sold to Oakland parties.

Miss Maud Miner is entertaining two young lady friends from San Francisco.

Mrs. Butler, a professional singer of San Francisco, is a guest of the Misses Crepin.

Mrs. Chas. Poppe and Mrs. Martens were at the county seat on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemoine and family leave for the metropolis Saturday to be absent one week.

The Rev. and Mrs. Chekuran were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Youngman one day last week.

The social given by the Ladies Aid Society, Wednesday evening, was appreciated by a large audience. The ladies cleared \$36.

Leo Justi has purchased an up-to-date binder and has taken several contracts to handle the crops of farmers at this place and Kenwood.

Mr. Kundy has sold his hay crop to Santa Rosa parties for \$9.50 per ton. This looks slim for the farmers, but now is the time to buy.

Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Head of Alameda, who were thrown from a buggy a few weeks ago and seriously injured, have returned to the Stephen Urkoff cottage to spend the remainder of their summer vacation.

The pretty home of A. E. Gaige has received a fresh coat of cream-colored paint and can now walk across the street at the newly whitened buildings of Mrs. Gibson and say, "You don't look any better than I do."

The Dunbar Improvement Club met Saturday and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: J. H. Weise, President; A. Froment, Vice President; A. S. Woods, Secretary; Leo Justi, Treasurer.

After adjournment a joint committee of the Dunbar and Ladies' Clubs met for the purpose of inspecting and selecting a site for a court house and jail. Two sites were offered, one by Dr. O'Donnell and the other by Mrs. Anna Gibson. The latter being preferable it was accepted.

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The Editors at the Portland Fair

Portland, June 25, 1905.

It will no doubt be of interest to the readers of this paper to read the impressions of the associate editor of this paper of Northern California, Portland, the Lewis and Clarke Exposition and Oregon in general.

Well, after a week's journeying from home, after seeing all this beautiful country, I must admit that I will take California, and particularly Sonoma Valley, for real living. It is the climate that makes our own section so glorious. When we arrived in Portland we were treated to a sample of Oregon mist which comes down in good sized drops and which every one but an Oregonian would call rain. We have had rain every day since arriving, with the exception of one day.

The trip from San Francisco here is very beautiful and we enjoyed the mountain scenery about Shasta particularly. In the evening our party sat on the back platform of the observation car and watched the country grow dark behind us. Finally all we could see was an occasional glimpse of the starry sky above the rocky walls of the canyon. Our Association party has been a congenial one and we sang and had merry times as we whizzed over the mountains after nightfall.

Southern Oregon is warmer than it is in Portland. The country between here and there is ruggedly beautiful—tall pines, rolling hills, and beautiful rivers bordered with wonderful verdure combine to make a lovely scene.

We arrived here in Portland on Thursday morning and came to the American Inn, which is an immense hotel on the Fair grounds. In the afternoon we began sight-seeing. The Fair is attended daily by 15,000 or more people. The grounds are laid out beautifully—rolling lawns, fountains, flowers and a large lake. For a background the Fair has tall cliffs, green clad in trees and shrubs, extending to the edge of the lake.

The architecture of the various buildings is very attractive and the exhibits are creditable, with the exception of Sonoma County, which has not as yet a good display. From Sonoma Valley are Gundlach and Dreisel's wines, but that is all we have seen that looked like home.

All the fun here is to be had on the "Trail," which corresponds to the "Midway" of our own Midwinter Fair. We have taken in the sights there—the wild animal arena, Trixie, the trained horse, The Land of the Midnight Sun, Streets of Cairo, the Klondike, the Haunted Swing, the Haunted Castle and all the other shows dear to the hearts of the spicers. I might mention here that Sonoma is well represented in Portland. Mrs. Hotz, Miss McDonnell, the Editors, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McDonnell, Hon. Robt. Howe and Misses Howe are all here. On the train coming here we met Judge Barnett of Santa Rosa and Congressman McKinlay, who are taking in the Fair. McKinlay is with Governor Pardee, who is in our train and was kind enough to exercise his old profession by taking a cinder from the eye of a suffering fellow passenger.

On Saturday we were guests of the Board of Trade on a steamer ride down the Columbia River about sixty miles. The reception accorded us was royal. We passed the Multnomah Falls, Vancouver Barracks, Cape Horn, Rooster Rock and the great Locks en route, taking lunch at a resort called Collins' Hot Springs in the State of Washington. The Columbia River is a beautiful stream about two miles wide, bordered with tall trees and towering cliffs and it is the great center of the salmon industry. We arrived at our hotel from the trip at midnight Saturday.

Today is Sunday and the day of rest, so I will continue in our next with a more interesting and minute account of our trip.

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